

PRESIDENT INDORSED AT POLLS, SAY PARTY HEADS

Bryan and Other Democrats Declare Administration's Policies Were Approved.

REPUBLICANS CLAIM GAIN

Chairman Woods of Congress Committee Sees Heavy Losses to Democrats—Mitchell Victory Pleases Wilson.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Nov. 5.—Democrats here, particularly the administration faction, and, of course, not those of the Tammany clan, are highly jubilant over the result of yesterday's elections and believe that the returns reflect an indorsement of the President's policies.

President Wilson telegraphed congratulations to Governor-elect Fielder of New Jersey, Senator-elect Blair Lee of Mary-

land, Governor-elect Walsh of Massachusetts and Mayor Baker of Cleveland, but so far as the public is concerned, he remained mum as to the fusionist victory in New York. Those close to the President, however, know that he was overjoyed by the victory of Mr. Mitchell, and believe that his congratulations will be conveyed, if they have not already gone, in a manner suiting a rather delicate situation for the administration.

The Secretary of the Treasury said that the election of Mitchell was "a glorious victory all along the line and a vindication of the President and his administration."

The friends of the administration are most pleased over the New Jersey victory, as President Wilson regarded himself as privileged to take a hand in the politics there, although his secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty, is given credit for much of the success.

Three telegrams of congratulation were sent by the President to-day:

To David K. Walsh, elected Governor of Massachusetts, he said: "My heartiest congratulations. It was a splendid victory, finely won."

To Blair Lee, elected United States Senator from Maryland, he said: "I congratulate you and the party most warmly. The victory was complete."

To Newton D. Baker, re-elected Mayor of Cleveland: "Please accept my warmest congratulations. It did us all good to hear of your victory."

The Secretary of State declared that the Democratic victory could not be taken otherwise than as an indorsement of President Wilson's policies "so far as they have been announced."

"In New Jersey, the home of the President," said Mr. Bryan, "the returns afford a verdict which will be received with gratification by the party throughout the country."

"The election of Blair Lee, of Maryland, to the Senate is not only a delight to those who know him personally, but a joy to all who want to see the hands of the administration upheld."

"The victory in Massachusetts also gives cause for congratulation. The local victories seem to show the same general trend toward the Democratic party. From what I know of John Purroy Mitchell, I think he will make a good Mayor of New York."

Tremendous Republican Gains.

Representative Frank P. Woods, of Iowa, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee, said:

"As a result of the elections yesterday many Republicans have been elected to public offices now held by Democrats. In other words, there has been a tremendous Republican gain and a tremendous Democratic loss in the districts where elections were held this year compared to the last elections held in the same districts."

"The Bull Moose as a party demonstrated that it has practically no strength at all. The candidates on the Bull Moose ticket in the various districts and states would have received as many, and perhaps more, votes if they had simply been candidates on independent tickets."

"As a result of the election the Republican party has been strengthened at the foundation, and at the next general election will undoubtedly secure control of the majority of the state administrations as well as Congress."

Representative Mann, Republican minority leader, viewed the situation with considerable hopefulness also, following his general idea that with the factions in the Republican ranks consolidated the next election will upset the present majority.

Representative Frank E. Doremus, of Michigan, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee, made the following statement:

"The result of the elections is very gratifying to the administration and to all friends of the administration. The voters in Massachusetts, New Jersey and Maryland have indorsed the progressive policies of President Wilson's administration, including the tariff and the currency and his attitude toward the situation in Mexico."

"The results in New Jersey and Massachusetts, two of the strongest manufacturing states in the Union, are particularly significant. Coming on the heels of a general revision of the tariff, they indicate that the manufacturing interests of those states are not apprehensive of the effects of the new tariff law."

Senator Kern, of Indiana, Democratic leader of the Senate, said:

"The administration should be highly gratified at the results. I do not see how we could have expected more."

Sees Hope of Republican Success.

Senator Borah, Progressive Republican, of Idaho, said:

"I did not suppose at any time that it would be possible for us to win out in New Jersey or in Massachusetts. After being in New Jersey I felt Colby would poll a much larger vote than he did. I supposed he would poll at least 75,000 votes or about half of what Colonel Roosevelt did, but it seems he polled only about 40,000."

"The same is true with reference to the third party vote in Maryland. It is smaller than I supposed it would be, and everywhere the third party vote and Republican vote combined would control. So to my way of thinking the result of the elections, taken as a whole, in Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland, is far more than we had a right to hope for at this time. It indicates very clearly what the Republicans are going to do in the future."

Senator Norris, of Nebraska, Progressive Republican, said:

"The results yesterday did not surprise me. I expected Democratic victory, and it may be expected as long as the Republican party is split into two factions. I hope that the two factions will get together."

Senator Smoot, of Utah, Republican, said:

"If the administration is satisfied with the results of the election in New Jersey, where the Democrats polled only about one-third of the entire vote, it is easily satisfied. If it considers that as an indorsement it certainly is easily satisfied. Gardner received more votes in Massachusetts than I expected he would after he had repudiated the Republican platform. Such occurrences as those of yesterday will do more than anything to bring the Republicans together again."

"The Republicans and the members of the third party both believe in a protective tariff and in other Republican doctrines. They are realizing that they must get together if they are to win. As soon as they do get together it will be goodby to the Democratic party for a long period."

Progressives professed to find comfort in the election results and asserted that "the Bull Moose has shown he is alive despite the knockers." Representative Victor Murdock, Bull Moose leader in the House, wasn't in Washington to-day, but Representative Walters, of Pennsylvania, a thorough-going Bull Moose champion, said:

"We made a fine showing, everything considered. We are not dead by a long shot, and there is every reason to feel encouraged over the party outlook. Amalgamation? It's up to the Republican party to come over to us. We are pretty well satisfied with the situation and it's their move."

REPUBLICANS' MARGIN IN NEXT ASSEMBLY 20

Will Have 86 Members, Against 50 Democrats and 14 Progressives at Albany Next Year.

CONTEST OVER SPEAKER

Hinman, Minority Leader, Probably Barnes's Candidate—Sullivan, Phillips and Sweet Mentioned.

Revised figures on the Assembly vote show that the Republicans will have 86 members in the lower branch of the Legislature—a margin of 20 votes over the Democrats and Progressives combined. The Democrats will number 66, while the third party, instead of holding a balance of power, as its leaders fondly hoped, will muster only 14 votes, which will probably split on legislative matters.

With their clear majority the Republicans will organize the Assembly, but may have some trouble in doing it. It is assumed by the "organization" men that Harold J. Hinman, known as "Barnes's Assemblyman," who has served as minority leader this year and as majority leader under Speaker Merritt, will be Barnes's candidate for Speaker.

The more independent Republicans have candidates in their ranks. John Leo Sullivan, of the Chautauque district, who has served several terms with an excellent record, is one of those named. Another is Clinton T. Horton, of Buffalo, a comparatively new man. Cyrus W. Phillips, of Rochester, who has served five or six years, is being talked of as a possible substitute for Hinman in case opposition to him becomes pronounced. Phillips has a good legislative record, and is strong with labor people because of his excellent work as an employers' liability bill. Thaddeus C. Sweet, of Oswego County, has announced his candidacy. In case Hinman should become Speaker, he would probably appoint Simon Adler, of Rochester, his floor leader.

Speaker "Al" Smith, re-elected by the grace of Tammany, will have to be minority leader in the new Assembly. He has held the job before.

The following table shows those elected to the Legislature on Tuesday:

* Indicates re-election.

Letter (F.) indicates fusion candidate.

SENATE.

21—J. Davidson (Dem.)

25—James E. Towner (R.)

ASSEMBLY.

ALBANY COUNTY.

District.

1—Harold J. Hinman (Rep.)*

2—John G. Malone (Rep.)*

3—William C. Baxter (Rep.)*

ALLEGANY COUNTY.

Elmer E. Ferry (Rep.)

BROOME COUNTY.

S. Peter Quick (Rep.)

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.

Coley P. Wright (Dem.) (Prog.)

CAYUGA COUNTY.

Charles H. Springer (Rep.)

CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY.

1—A. Morelle Cheney (Rep.)

2—John Leo Sullivan (Rep.)*

CHEMUNG COUNTY.

W. C. Knapp (Rep. and Prog.)

CHENANGO COUNTY.

Samuel A. Jones (Rep.)

CLINTON COUNTY.

A. W. Fairbank (Rep.)

COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Alexander W. Hoyer (Dem.) (F.)*

CORTLAND COUNTY.

Niles F. Webb (Rep.)*

DELAWARE COUNTY.

— Mackey (Rep.)

DUTCHESS COUNTY.

1—Cornelius W. Garrison (Dem.)

2—Mark G. Dubois (Rep.)

ERIE COUNTY.

1—William H. Warhus (Dem.)

2—Clinton T. Horton (Rep.) (F.)

3—Albert F. Geyer (Dem.) (F.)

4—Patrick W. Quigley (Rep.) (F.)

5—Richard F. Hearn (Dem.)

6—Leon E. Tuscholska (Dem.)

7—William P. Gremler (Dem.) (F.)

8—Wallace Thayer (Prog.) (F.)

9—Frank Bret Thorn (Rep.)

ESSEX COUNTY.

Raymond T. Kenyon (Rep.)

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Alexander MacDonald (Rep.)*

FULTON AND HAMILTON COS.

James H. Wood (Rep.)*

GENESEE COUNTY.

Louis H. Wells (Rep.)

GREENE COUNTY.

George H. Chase (Rep.)

HERKIMER COUNTY.

Franklin W. Christman (Rep.)

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

1—H. Edward Machold (Rep.)*

2—John G. Jones (Rep.)*

KINGS COUNTY.

1—R. Hunter McQuiston (Rep.)

2—William J. Giller (Dem.)*

3—Frank J. Taylor (Dem.)*

4—George Langhorne (Rep.)

5—George C. Lockwood (Rep.)

6—George H. Ittman (Prog.) (F.)

7—D. F. Farrell (Dem.)

8—John J. McKeon (Dem.)*

9—William J. McRoberts (Prog.) (F.)

10—Fred M. Ahern (Rep.)

11—George R. Brennan (Rep.)

12—William T. Simpson (Rep.)

13—Herman Kramer (Dem.)

14—John P. La Frenz (Rep.) (Fus.)

15—J. T. Phelan (Dem.)

16—Samuel R. Green (Rep.)

17—Alvah W. Burlingame, Jr. (Rep.)

18—Almest W. Hoff (Rep.)

19—Henry Scheldeman (Prog.)

20—August C. Flammann (Rep.)

21—H. C. Karper (Rep.) (F.)

22—Edward R. W. Karutz (Rep.)

23—William F. Mathewson (Rep.)

LEWIS COUNTY.

Henry L. Grant (Rep.) (F.)

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.

Edward M. Magee (Rep.)*

MADISON COUNTY.

Morell E. Tallett (Rep.)*

MONROE COUNTY.

1—Horace B. Warner (Prog.) (F.)

2—Simon L. Adler (Rep.)*

3—George Ritz (Dem.) (F.)

4—Cyrus W. Phillips (Rep.)*

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5—Charles Gallup (Dem.) (F.)*

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Walter A. Gage (Rep.) (F.)

NASSAU COUNTY.

John Lyon (Rep.)

NEW YORK COUNTY.

1—Thomas B. Caughlin (Dem.)*

2—Alfred E. Smith (Dem.)*

3—John B. Golden (Dem.)

4—Henry D. Schimmel (Dem.)

5—James J. Walker (Dem.)*

6—William F. Miller (Prog.) (F.)

7—Peter P. McElligott (Dem.)*

8—Solomon Sufin (Prog.) (F.)

9—Charles D. Donohue (Dem.)*

10—Robert L. Tudor (Dem.)*

11—John Kerrigan (Dem.)*

12—Joseph D. Kelly (Dem.)*

13—James C. Campbell (Dem.)*

14—Robert L. Tudor (Dem.)*

15—Abraham Ellenbogen (Rep.)

16—Martin G. McGue (Dem.)*

17—Mark Goldberg (Prog.)*

18—Andrew F. Murray (Dem.)*

19—Patrick J. McGrath (Dem.)*

20—Benjamin E. Moore (Rep.)

21—Sidney Clinton Crane (Rep.)

22—Owen M. Kiehl (Dem.)

23—Francis R. Stoddard, Jr. (Rep.)

24—A. Greenberg (Dem.)

25—Schuyler M. Meyer (Prog.) (F.)

26—George E. Schuler (Rep.) (F.)

27—Howard Conkling (Rep.)

28—Edward S. Boylston (Rep.)

29—Michael Schaap (Prog.)*

BRONX COUNTY.

32—Louis P. Grimmer (R.)

33—Thomas J. Lane (Dem.)*

34—Patrick J. McMahon (Dem.)*

35—Henry D. Patton (Dem.) (F.)

NIAGARA COUNTY.

1—William Bewley (Rep.)

2—John S. Williams (Dem.)

ONEIDA COUNTY.

1—Fred D. Emden (Rep.)

2—Charles J. Fuess (Rep.)

3—J. Brayton Fuller (Rep.)*

ONONDAGA COUNTY.

1—Edward Arnst (Rep.)

2—George M. Haight (Dem.)

3—Jacob Buechler (Rep.)

ONTARIO COUNTY.

Heber E. Wheeler (Rep.)

ORANGE COUNTY.

1—James B. Montgomery (Rep.)

2—Charles J. Boyd (Rep.)

ORLEANS COUNTY.

Coley P. Wright (Dem.) (F.)

OSWEGO COUNTY.

Thaddeus C. Sweet (Rep.)*

OTSEGO COUNTY.

George L. Bockes (Rep.)

PUTNAM COUNTY.

Hamilton Fish, Jr. (Prog.) (F.)

QUEENS COUNTY.

1—N. Neuhauer (Dem.)

2—Peter J. McGarry (D.)

3—Conrad Garbe (Rep.)

4—James Suddam Eadie (Rep.) (F.)

RENSELAER COUNTY.

C. Fred Schwarz (Dem.)*

Tracey D. Taylor (Rep.)*

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Calvin D. Van Name (Dem.)

ROCKLAND COUNTY.

Frederick G. Grimme (Dem.)*

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.

1—Frank A. Seaker (Rep.)*

2—John A. Smith (Rep.)*

SARATOGA COUNTY.

Gilbert T. Seelye (Rep.)*

SCHENECTADY COUNTY.

Arthur P. Squire (Dem.) (F.)*

SCHOHARIE COUNTY.

Edward A. Dox (Dem.) (F.)*

SCHUYLER COUNTY.

Henry S. Howard (Rep.)

SENECA COUNTY.

William J. Maier (Rep.)

STEBUN COUNTY.

1—Charles A. Brewster (Dem.)*

2—James L. Seeley, Jr. (Dem.)*

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

1—De Witt C. Talmage (Rep.)

2—Henry A. Murphy (Rep.)

SULLIVAN COUNTY.

George H. Smith (Dem.)

TIOGA COUNTY.

Wilson S. Moore (Rep.)

TOMPKINS COUNTY.